



# California Department of Veterans Affairs

## Advisory

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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY FOR WEST LOS ANGELES VETERANS HOME

#### **SAVE THE DATE**

**EVENT:** The California Department of Veterans Affairs and Southern California veterans are gearing up for a memorable and heartfelt celebration for breaking ground for the West Los Angeles Veterans Home. **All veterans and their families and friends are invited to attend. Please feel free to forward this notice to others inviting them to attend this event.**

**DATE:** Friday, July 6, 2007

**TIME:** 10:00 a.m.

**LOCATION:** USDVA Greater Los Angeles Healthcare Campus  
800 Bringham Avenue  
Los Angeles, CA 90049

**WHO:** Representatives from the California Department of Veterans Affairs  
Representatives from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs  
Representatives from Veterans Service Organizations  
Local Elected Representatives

**BACKGROUND:** The West Los Angeles Veterans Home, together with the Lancaster and Ventura Veterans Homes, form the Greater Los Angeles Ventura Counties (GLAVC) Project. The total cost for constructing these three veterans homes is approximately \$299.6 million. The United States Department of Veterans Affairs' contribution to construct all three Southern California veterans homes is about \$179.8 million and California's contribution estimated at \$119.8 million.

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